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LODGE PROPOSES WORLD COURT AT THE HAGUE NOW

Massachusetts Senator Would
Have United States
Court Member

HONOR COOLIDGE

Senator Specifies Quali-
fications for Membership
In Court

(By the Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, May 8.—Establish-
ment of a world court at the Hague
to which the United States would
adhere was proposed today in a res-
olution introduced by Senator
Lodge, Massachusetts, chairman of
the farm relations committee.

For the purpose of creating the
new tribunal, President Coolidge
would be "respectfully requested to
propose the calling of the third Hag-
ue conference."

The resolution embodies a com-
plete plan for the proposed court. It
would be composed of sixteen judges
four of them deputies, who would be
selected by an electoral commission.
This commission would consist of
"a general commission composed of
representatives designated by the sig-
natory powers and a special com-
mission composed of representatives
of the United States, British Empire
France, Italy and Japan, together
with representatives of five other
signatory powers, which powers shall
be selected by the signatory powers
by a majority vote from time to
time."

Members of the court would be
selected by the electoral commission
from a "list of persons nominated
by the national groups in the per-
manent court of arbitration." The
tribunal would sit at least once a
year with extraordinary sessions au-
thorized at the call of its president.

The signatory powers would recog-
nize "as compulsory inso facto, the
jurisdiction of the court in all cases
of legal dispute concerning inter-
pretation of a treaty; questions of in-
ternational law; evidence of breach
of international obligations and the
nature and extent of indemnity for
such breach."

COVINGTON, Ky., May 8.—Walter
B. Carey of Canton, Ohio, and
M. E. Huth of Alliance, Ohio, two
of the four co-defendants with Con-
gressman John W. Langley of Ken-
tucky on trial in federal court here
on charges of conspiracy to defraud
the government through whiskey
transactions in 1921, reversed their
pleas of not guilty and entered form-
al pleas of guilty when court con-
vened today.

Attorney W. K. Gray of Philadel-
phia, representing Milton Lipshutz
of Philadelphia another defendant,
presented a motion asking that all
testimony concerning Huth and
Carey be stricken from the record.
Judge Cochran overruled the mo-
tion.

Huth and Carey were removed
from the court room to prepare
bonds. It is understood they will not
be sentenced until after the trial.

TOKIO.—Helium from volcanic
gases will be the result sought in
experiments projected by the Japa-
nese navy, which will shortly send a
party of naval engineers to several
of the volcanoes, in which Japan
abounds, to try to collect gases for
inflating lighter-than-air flying craft.

The disaster to the navy's dirigible
No. 2, the S. S. type airship which
burst into flames and fell north
of Tokyo last March, is the
incentive to the projected experi-
ments. Naval authorities, alive to
the danger of hydrogen as inflating
gas, are determined to find econom-
ical means of replacing the gas by
helium.

Lieut. Kano will lead the party
which will visit several well-known
volcanoes. The experiments, which
will be made by means of captive
balloons, are attended with consid-
erable danger, but the Japanese press
declares that if they are successful
the aviation prospects of the empire
may be revolutionized.

Oppose Jap Exclusion.
(By the Associated Press)

CLEVELAND, May 8.—The resolu-
tions committee of the chamber
of commerce of the United States
will unanimously report favorably
on a provision against exclusion of
Japanese subjects by law, a can-
vas of the committee revealed to-
day.

Auto Salesman is Slain; Theft Thought Motive For Deed

(By the Associated Press)
PONCA CITY, May 8.—George
Miller, automobile salesman of Paw-
huska, was found dead, bullets
through his heart and head, in his
automobile in the road near Shidler
yesterday afternoon. Two empty
cartridges in his revolver indicated
that he had put up a fight against
a holdup party who robbed him of
about \$160 which he was known to
have had, according to information
obtained here this morning.

Miller, who until recently was an
automobile salesman at Shidler, was
held up not long ago and robbed of
\$300. He was about 30 years of
age and had been married and sepa-
rated from his wife.

**EFFORT MADE TO
STAY EXECUTIONS**

Business Men and Relatives
Of Slain Man Among
Those Petitioning

(By the Associated Press)
AMITE, La., May 8.—A last mo-
ment effort to obtain a respite for
Joseph Boccio, one of six Italians
to hang here at noon tomorrow, was
under way today. Business men and
women of the parish sponsored the
movement with the consent of Mrs.
Dallas Calmes and other relatives
of her husband, for whose slaying the
sixteen were sentenced to death.

AMITE, La., May 8.—But for the
presence of national guardsmen pat-
rolling the vicinity of the prison
where six Italians condemned to die
tomorrow between the hours of
noon and 3 p. m. for the murder
of Dallas Calmes at Independence
three years ago, today there was
little to indicate that within the
next 24 hours wide attention would
be focused on this little town.

The men having been unsuccessful
after every legal proceeding to
save their lives were brought to
Amite yesterday from New Orleans.
Prison guards constantly watch
every move of the condemned men
against possible attempts at sui-
cide. The announcement that their
attorneys in New Orleans had ceased
to strive for a stay of execution
had no visible effect upon them.

Roy Leona, who stabbed himself
yesterday in a suicidal attempt be-
fore leaving New Orleans prison
jail, was not seriously injured it
was said.

**East Central Girls
Win Debate Contest
Over O. B. U. Talkers**

The East Central Debate team
consisting of Misses Eileen King and
Katherine Boren won a notable vic-
tory in the defeating of the debaters
of Oklahoma Baptist university at
Shawnee last night.

The Ada girls took the negative
of the question, "Resolved that:
the United States should use its best
efforts to promote the establishment
of a World Court as suggested by
the late president, Warren G.
Harding." Their argument was su-
perior throughout the encounter
although they were given one nega-
tive vote of the three decisions of
the judges.

This is the second consecutive
year in which East Central has scored
a victory over the Baptists.

**KNAPP AGAIN CHOSEN
FOR STILLWATER SCHOOL.**
(By the Associated Press)
OKLAHOMA CITY, May 8.—Dr.
Bradford Knapp was re-elected
President of the Agricultural and
Mechanical College at Stillwater at
a meeting of the State Board of
Agriculture here yesterday it was
announced today by Ed Spears,
secretary of the board. President
Knapp has served approximately one
year as the head of the institution,
coming to Oklahoma from the Uni-
versity of Arkansas.

TULSA, Okla.—An extensive re-
cruiting campaign has been launched
here by the Oklahoma national
guard to obtain men to fill va-
cancies in the ranks of the various
organizations for the summer train-
ing camp this year.

The state regiments are attempt-
ing to make their personnel 100 per
cent complete when they entrain for
Fort Sill, according to General Alva
Niles of this city.

Every guard officer of the state
has been called upon to aid the re-
cruiting.

**COOLIDGE FORCED TO HALT
DAILY MORNING EXERCISE**

(By the Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, May 8.—Steadily
increasing pressure of work at
the capitol incident to the approach
of a congressional adjournment has
brought its reaction at the white
house in the virtual abandonment by
President Coolidge of the early
morning walks he had been accus-
tomed to take almost regularly since
he entered the white house.

A large tank-like street sweeper
is in successful operation.

Lighting New York costs about
\$70,000,000 a year.

KING GEORGE OPENS THE BRITISH EMPIRE EXPOSITION



The royal carriage, carrying King George V, Queen Mary, the Prince of Wales and the Duke of York, en-
tering the Wembley exposition grounds.

Great Britain is busy advertis-
ing the empire on which the sun
never sets to the English people.
The advertising is taking the
form of a huge fair, known as
the British Empire Exposition,
being held at Wembley, near
London.

Every one of the British do-
minions is represented with ex-
hibits. The whole thing is intend-
ed as a liberal education in the
value and possibilities of Eng-
lish-ruled lands.

The exposition was formally
opened by the king himself, at-
tended by Queen Mary, the
Prince of Wales and the Duke of
York. Their visit was made the
occasion of a huge demonstra-
tion of esteem for the sovereigns
by great throngs.

EAST CENTRAL SENDS OUT CHAMP DEBATE

With kindred regularity to the
coming of Spring, annually East
Central sends out a select number
of young men and women who wrest
supremacy from other teacher col-
leges of the state through purely
oratorical efforts or debating.

This season East Central far-
ed well in every contest in which
the school honors have been hoisted
to the intercollegiate forum. The
East Central debate teams have not
been defeated during this season, the
second one to pass through the
storm of state oratory without de-
feat.

The debate teams of East Central
have gained the supremacy in the
east portion of the state by defeat-
ing Tahlequah and Durant, this be-
ing the second year of similar per-
formance.

Arrangements are under way at
the present time looking to a debate
between the East Central champion
team and the Edmond team for state
honors. Edmond having won the
honors for the western part of the
state.

The teams responsible for the de-
feat of Durant and Tahlequah teams
are, Martin Phillips, and A. D. Pat-
ton, and Odous Honaker and Moss
Wimbish.

**Woman Hot Check
Artist Held For
Four Offenses**

Four separate commitments tell
of the anxiety of four Ada mer-
chants over the incarceration of
Mande Hammonds, alias Leona Dav-
is on a charge of hot checking or
forgery.

The defendant was arrested yester-
day afternoon on the warrants
sought by four business houses of
Ada and placed in the county jail
to await further action.

The arrest was made by city of-
ficers who turned the woman over
to the hands of the county officers
for action. Possessors of the worth-
less checks were appearing yester-
day afternoon to identify the wo-
man.

**Psychic Frauds Come Under
Ban of German Authorities**

BERLIN.—The German Ministry
of Public Welfare has ordered state
and municipal authorities, especially
physicians in public service, to give
special attention to all advertise-
ments of demonstrations of hypno-
sis, magnetism and suggestion, and
to report them promptly to the po-
lice who have been instructed to
prohibit exhibitions and lectures of
a doubtful character.

The writ says much damage has
recently been done by questionable
demonstrations of this nature, and
that the government has decided to
end them.

**CALIFORNIA COUNTY OUT
OF QUARANTINE DISTRICT**

(By the Associated Press)
SACRAMENTO, Calif., May 7.—
All of San Francisco county with
the exception of "butchertown" and
sections of Alameda, San Joaquin,
Sanislaus, Merced, Madera, Turn
and Los Angeles counties which
have been classed as "modified
areas" since April 3, today were re-
leased from foot and mouth disease
quarantine by action of federal and
state governments.

Read all the ads all the time.

Postpone May Festival for Warmer Date

The May Fete will not be
held at the College field this
evening as had been previous-
ly announced.

The annual May festival will
be presented to the public to-
morrow afternoon at 6 o'clock,
weather conditions permitting.
If inclement weather conditions
exist, the event will be post-
poned until Monday afternoon.

Shortly after noon today
Mother Nature took a hand in
the plans for the annual May
Fete as has been the custom
in years previous and called a
halt in preparations for the ele-
ments and the boll weevil along
with the coronation of the May
Queen, Miss Marvyn Brydla.

Chilly winds from the north
and threatening clouds caused
considerable anxiety with spon-
sors of the annual event and
Miss Annie Weaver Jones, di-
rector, announced at 2:45 this
afternoon that the event would
be postponed.

Miss Jones expressed the re-
gret of those in charge that it
would be necessary for the
postponement.

Dies From Scalds.
(By the Associated Press)

OKLAHOMA CITY, May 8.—Im-
mersion in a tub of scalding wa-
ter Tuesday proved fatal today to
the three-year old Geraldine Rob-
ertson. The little girl was playing
on the back porch of her home
where her mother was washing
clothes. She fell into the tub while
her mother's back was turned.

**Daily Average of
Oil Production in
U. S. on Increase**

NEW YORK, May 8.—The daily
average gross crude oil production
of the United States increased 8-
900 barrels for the week ended May
3, totaling 1,949,050 barrels, ac-
cording to the weekly summary of
the American Petroleum Institute.
The daily average production east
of the Rock Mountains was 1,300-
750, an increase of 6300 barrels.
California's production was 648,300
barrels, an increase of 1700 barrels.
Oklahoma showed a daily average
production of 425,650 barrels, a
decrease of 4450.

**WOMAN BREAKS BOTTLE
POLICE ARREST HER**

Booze or no booze, Flora Mad-
dox is resting in the county jail
charged with possession of whiskey.
The defendant is alleged to have
dashed the valued contents to de-
struction at the approach of city of-
ficers.

She is being held to await furth-
er action despite the fact that she
succeeded in breaking her store of
booze.

Mercury Sinks Again.
(By the Associated Press)

OKLAHOMA CITY, May 8.—
Minimum temperature here last
night was 44 degrees. Only three
times since 1889, when records were
first kept, has the mercury drop-
ped so low on May 7. Cool weather
prevailed throughout the state with
Beaver recording the lowest tem-
perature, 37 degrees.

Let a News Want Ad get it.

Senate Debates on Immigration Bill With Reports Fought

(By the Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, May 8.—The
Senate heatedly debated the immig-
ration bill today with both demo-
cratic and republican spokesmen
bitterly assailing the conference re-
port postponing Japanese exclusion.
Senator Robinson, Arkansas, the
democratic leader, opened the attack
and was joined immediately by Sen-
ator Borah, Idaho, and Johnson,
California, republicans.

The provision directing negotiat-
ion of an understanding cancelling
the gentlemen's agreement adopted
at the suggestion of President Cool-
idge, was assailed as an abrogation
of the principle that immigration
is a purely domestic question.

**FOLEY REFUSES
TAMMANY CROWN**

Son-in-law of Murphy Not to
Succeed as Tammany
Chief

(By the Associated Press)
NEW YORK, May 8.—Surrogate
James A. Foley, son-in-law of the
late Charles F. Murphy, has declined
to be a candidate for chieftain of
Tammany Hall, according to the
New York Evening World today,
which said a triumvirate will pre-
side over the destinies of Tammany.

The triumvirate, the newspaper
said, it is informed from authentic
sources, will consist of former
sheriff Thomas Foley, Murphy's
right hand man, Frank Goodwin,
clerk of the city court and Sheriff
A. Dooley.

The election to choose a successor
to Mr. Murphy will be held later this
afternoon. It is understood, the
newspaper said, that the triumvirate
which will be known as a steering
committee, will hold until an agree-
ment has been reached as to whom
will be the chief.

Surrogate Foley, it was also said,
made up his mind after a conference
with many of the leaders of the or-
ganization lasting until an early
hour today.

**MAINE PLANS MEMORIAL
TO INTREPID LUMBERJACK**

BANGOR, Me., May 8.—The spir-
it of the old-time Maine lumberman
who guided the great log jams
down the rushing rivers is to be
perpetuated in bronze. On the base
of a fountain to be erected near the
Bangor public library as a memorial
to the late Colonel Luther H.
Pierce of Chicago, a former Bangor
resident, will be placed a great
bronze relief depicting three river
drivers engaged in the perilous task
of breaking out the key log of a
jam to release the millions of logs
behind.

Colonel Pierce provided for the
fountain in his will. The memorial
commission has accepted a design
submitted by Charles E. Tefft of
New York, a native of Bangor. The
sculptor obtained much of his in-
formation and inspiration for the
design from Patrick Conners of this
city, now 84 years of age, the last
survivor of four brothers who for
many years piloted log drives down
the Penobscot.

**Planes May Start
On Another Lap of
Race Around World**

Aboard the United States coast
guard cutter, Haida at Atka Island
—May 8.—The weather was moder-
ating and clearing here throughout
the night and a jump today by the
three United States army planes cir-
cling the globe seems likely.

On Board Coast Guard Cutter,
Haida, at Atka, Alaska; May 8.—
Snow and fog, it was feared, prob-
ably would prevent the hop off to-
day of three U. S. air cruisers from
Atka Island for Attu Island on the
western end of the Aleutian archip-
elago.

Everything was in readiness yester-
day for the 530-mile jump but un-
favorable weather halted the de-
parture of the planes.
No word has been received of the
fate of Maj Frederick L. Martin,
the missing commander of the ex-
pedition.

OKLAHOMA CITY.—Approx-
imately 300 Confederate veterans
and sons of veterans will go from
Oklahoma to the national reunion
Memphis, Tenn., June 4, 5, and 6.
According to Col. R. A. Sneed, Mon-
day, the veterans and their sons
will leave on June 2 on the Rock
Island and Frisco railroads for Mem-
phis. The two railroads have agreed
to reduce the fare so that a one
way ticket of \$17.72 will be the
round trip price. The excursion
tickets will be good until June
28.

Delegates to the convention were
elected Sunday afternoon in a meet-
ing in St. Luke's Methodist church.
Interest over the state in the com-
ing reunion is evidenced, Sneed says
by the number of letters he has re-
ceived from veterans of the state
expressing their intention to attend
the three-day session.

METHODISTS TURN TO ANOTHER MOVE IN CHURCH WORK

Would Admit Women to Pul-
pit, Resolution
Maintains

SOUTHERNERS MEET

Important Mark Established
In Union of Southern and
Northern Bodies

(By the Associated Press)
SPRINGFIELD, Mass., May 8.—
Having voted yesterday to end the
schism of 80 years between the
Northern and Southern Methodist
churches, the delegates to the Meth-
odist Episcopal general conference
expected today to consider another
change—admission of women to the
pulpit. This will be the second time
in the history of the conference
that women have asked to be put on
the same plane with the men in this
respect. A resolution ordering the
placing of women on church boards
was introduced last Monday by
Miss Mabel Emeline Southard of
Winfield, Kansas, and will be re-
ported later by the standing com-
mittee on denominational economy.

NASHVILLE, Tenn., May 8.—A
special session of the Southern Meth-
odist college of bishops is expected
to be held here today or tomorrow
to consider the action on unification
taken by the Methodist Episcopal
conference at Springfield, Massa-
chusetts, although Senior Bishop W.
A. Candler has not yet issued the
call for such meeting. Official noti-
fication of the Northern conference
resolution is awaited here, it is
said, before definite action will be
taken by the Southern bishops.

By a resolution adopted by the
last general conference of the Meth-
odist church, South, the college of
bishops is "empowered and instructed
to call a special session of our
general conference when a plan
for unification is endorsed by two-
thirds vote of each communion
(Northern and Southern) and ap-
proved by the general conference of
the Methodist church."

All conditions precedent to the
calling of the general conference by
the college of bishops have been
met. When united the church would
have a total membership of 8,400-
000.

The Northern Methodist church
now has 4,279,586 members and
the Southern denomination 2,405-
257. Minor branches make up the
remainder.

OVERTURE TO BUILD UP LEGION LIBRARY

The Legion library will become a
reality in a very short time, George
Overturf, who is in charge of the
arrangements stated today.

Overturf was appointed by Com-
mander Robert S. Kerr recently to
the office of post librarian and in
such capacity will have charge of
the arrangements of stocking the li-
brary and maintaining it to the pub-
lic.

Overturf stated that he had secured
approximately 500 books as the
initial donation to the library. Mrs.
M. F. Manville has pledged several
books to the cause and several others
have announced their intention
of stocking the library.

The Legion library will be open
to the public as well as its mem-
bers and is considered one of the
valuable and worthy endeavors of
the organization.

Overturf is also custodian of the
Norman Howard post Memorial art
gallery, which contains the pictures
and histories of Pontotoc county
veterans who died in service during
the world war.

American Consulate Dispute in England Settled at Newcastle

(By the Associated Press)
NEWCASTLE, Eng., May 8.—The
embroglio over the American con-
sulate at Newcastle, which has
caused so many heartburnings since
the closure of the consulate nearly
two years ago, was satisfactorily
settled today when C. R. Nasmitte,
the new American consul, called offi-
cially on the lord mayor as prelimi-
nary to the reopening of the of-
fices.

Mr. Nasmitte expects that the re-
opened consulate will be doing busi-
ness in a fortnight.

The American consulate in New-
castle has been closed since May 1,
1922, when the British government
revoked the excoators of Consul
Fred C. Slater and vice-consul Rus-
sell N. Brooks, charging that they
had discriminated against British
passenger ships in granting visas to
passengers.

Over 710,000 motor vehicles were
exported from the United States in
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BIBLE THOUGHT FOR TODAY
FEAR THE LORD, AND SERVE HIM IN TRUTH WITH ALL YOUR HEART. FOR CONSIDER HOW GREAT THINGS HE HATH DONE FOR YOU.—1 Samuel 12:24.

OUR OWN RESORTS.

For the summer vacationist who can't get away for more than a few days or a couple of weeks at the most, Southern Oklahoma offers some of the finest resorts in the country.

Sulphur has a national reputation as a watering resort, where those who are in falling health get new grip of life.

Devil's Den in Johnston county is filled with some of the most beautiful scenery and natural beauty that the sun has even shone on. Pennington creek is filled with fish and there are bathing pools galore.

Turner Falls and Princess Falls offer a harbinger to those who want to get away from the din and dust of the city and 'just rest.' Both places offer swimming and opportunity to hike and tramp over the hills.

Oil Springs, just out of Ardmore, is a delightful place to spend a day or two. It is accessible by good roads and many persons go there to enjoy moonlight suppers and swimming parties.

Lawton and Medicine Park on the west, with the Kiamichi mountains in Southern Oklahoma, also draw a great many tourists from this section.

Oklahoma is a fine state and thus offers advantages for those who call it home.—Ardmoreite.

MOTHER'S DAY.

Beautiful, indeed, is the practice that now has become general in America of setting one day aside each year on which, above all others, everybody stops and honors mother. If she is living a letter and gifts are sent—little things just to remind her that son or daughter hasn't forgotten her. If she has passed on into the brighter world, tribute is paid in loving memory by the wearing of a white flower. Red flowers are worn to honor mothers who are living.

Next Sunday will be Mother's Day. It is not too early to plan now to make happy on that day the greatest woman who ever lived—your mother.

Little gifts and a letter will be appreciated. It doesn't take much to please her. But if you want to make her real happy, if you want to make Mother's Day the day of all days for her, go to see her.

A kiss, a child-like smile, means more to her than precious gifts.

Never overlook Mother's Day on your calendar. It's the most important day in the year.—Ardmoreite.

Dr. Cook, who claimed to have discovered the North Pole, is about to regain his freedom for a time at least after spending six months in the county jail at Fort Worth after being given a long term for oil frauds. His bond has been reduced from \$75,000 to \$45,000 and if he makes it he will be free until a higher court passes on his appeal. Meantime his victims are out many hard earned dollars and no matter how long Cook serves in jail or the penitentiary they will not be benefitted financially. However, it will be some satisfaction to know that he is not having a chance to enjoy any of the results of his golden harvest.

The action of the Methodist Episcopal church in ratifying a union agreement with the Southern Methodist church is another great stride in the direction of denominational unity. As we see it there are altogether too many denominations and too much wasted effort due to several trying to gain a foothold in places where only one is needed and could do the work better. In these modern days people are broader minded in their religious views than formerly and can get along with less hickering. Being agreed on the essentials, the tendency is now to unite their efforts in a common cause rather than waste their energies fighting one another.

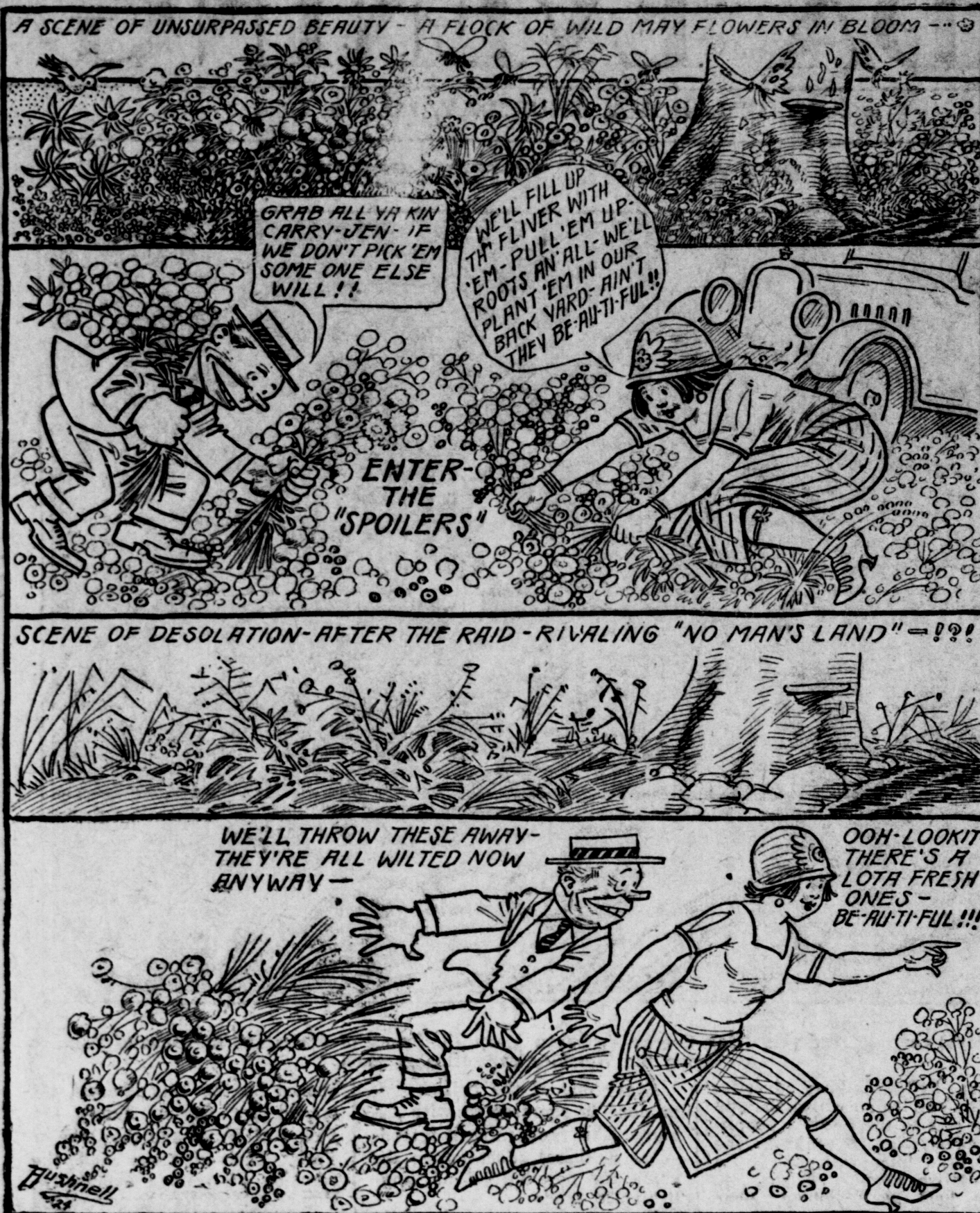
Times have not changed much since the author of the book of Acts in the New Testament described the riot at Ephesus stirred up by the silversmiths whose business of making and selling silver idols was threatened when the people began to give ear to the preaching of Paul. The idol makers simply got out in the streets and raised the cry: "Great is Diana of the Ephesians." Every fellow who came along took it up, although the writer says few knew what it was all about. Those leaders would make good politicians if they were living today.

The concert Wednesday by the combined bands of Ada was beyond all question the biggest and best thing of the kind ever attempted by local talent. All told 90 instruments participated and the musicians showed remarkable skill and displayed great talent throughout. It was a revelation to the citizens of Ada few of whom had any idea of what the city really had in this line.

Let a NEWS WANT AD get it for you.

WHAT MAKES THE WILD FLOWERS WILD?

A MAY DAY TRAGEDY IN FOUR ACTS



The Veneer of Civilization

(Farm and Ranch)

Present day civilization is removed from paganism by so short a distance that it is easy to revert back to it without causing astonishment on the part of any one. We delight to speak of present day civilization as something outstanding, and far above anything of its kind the world has ever seen, but in time of war we can be more cruel and less merciful than the most heartless savage of pagan history. The shallowness of our development is even more noticeable in time of peace when the mind is not influenced by the desire of self-preservation. It is the little things that reveal just how thin our veneer of civilization really is. We profess a belief in God, or a creator. Many of our citizens are deeply religious. They scoff at the superstitions and beliefs of the ignorant and wonder how an intelligent people could have cruelly burned women and girls at the stake for witchcraft, as they did in Massachusetts only a few generations ago. Yet, their alleged intelligence is not without some form of superstition. We don't believe in ghosts, but we are afraid to walk through a cemetery after sundown. Thousands who boast that they are without superstition will go blocks out of their way if a black cat should innocently cross the street in front of them. They will laugh at a negro for wearing a dime attached to the ankle to ward off misfortune, but will walk around a post to prevent it coming between them and a companion. It amuses us to see a Chinaman scatter pieces of paper full of holes on the way to the cemetery, because the evil spirit so it is said, will have to crawl through all the holes before it can get to the cemetery and interfere with the passage of the spirit of the dead on the way to glory, but many of us are wary of the number "13" and wouldn't kill a cat at any price. Some people carry a potato to ward off rheumatism, and others do other foolish things that are more ridiculous than the attempt of the Chinaman to delay the progress of the Devil.

It is because there are so many who are superstitious that grifters have such rich harvests. Discovering one's peculiar brand of superstition and then working upon it makes easy picking for the man without a conscience, but nine times out of ten the grifter has a weakness of his own.

One of the peculiarities of the superstitions is found in the fact that they will invariably deny their belief in the supernatural. They admit that others may be superstitious but "me" "Oh, no. I don't believe that a black cat can have any influence on my future, but—well, a black cat makes me uncomfortable. I would rather it did not cross my path, and say, you couldn't get me to kill a cat for any money." Thus it goes. We are as children. We express a belief that God knows our destiny, and then pin our faith on a ring, or a dime with a hole in it, pieces of inanimate metal in present form by the hand of man. Our genius for creating is being wonderfully developed, but our strength in mind is no greater than it was ages ago.

Oil in considerable quantities recently has been discovered near Mandali, Mesopotamia.

One ounce of gold can be beaten out to cover a surface of 100 square feet.

LIBERAL PARTIES IN FRANCE FIGHT

Politics Reaches Liberal Angle in Race For Supremacy

PARIS.—The French electoral campaign has been waged in greater political confusion than has existed in the country since just after the fall of the Second Empire, a royalist parliament was sent to Paris to inaugurate the Third Republic.

Party lines are so broken and party politics so vague that political prophets are at a loss to find a basis for any sort of prediction. The only certain element in the situation is that for several months the pendulum has been swinging toward the Left, that is to say in favor of the more liberal parties, Radicals and Socialists, and against the moderate and conservative government majority.

All the special elections held since last fall, including parliamentary, city and departmental, have shown large gains for the Socialists and Radicals. Local circumstances entered into some of these results but on the whole they are accepted, even by the moderates and conservatives of the "National Block" as showing a decided tendency toward radicalism and socialism.

The Radicals and Socialists, however, have big gains to make if they wrest the majority of the chamber from the "National Block," which in 1919 won 116 seats from them and constituted a government coalition of 400 members in the lower house, in spite of the fact that the Radicals polled 2,000,000 votes as compared to 1,800,000 in 1914, and the Socialists increased their vote of 1,400,000 in 1914 to 1,700,000. The Radical and Socialist coalition, however, will not go to the country with the full strength of the parties as polled in 1914. The Communists have sapped a great deal of the strength of the Socialist party. Only the result of the coming election will show just how many votes the Communists have taken, but surface indications are that the faction which takes its orders from Moscow will poll in the neighborhood of 1,000,000 votes. This would leave the Socialists with about the same number, supposing that the two factions together show a small gain over 1914.

The Radical party also has been weakened by the resignation or exclusion of a number of deputies who supported Poincare's foreign and fiscal policies. These men have formed a new "Radical" faction, which will co-operate with the other groups of the government majority.

The strength of the different groups in the present Chamber is as follows: Republican Democratic Entente (National Block), 170; Independents, mostly royalists, 27; deputies belonging to no group, 22; Republican and Social Action, 47; Republican Democratic Left, 88; Republican Left, 56; Republican Socialists, 32; Radicals, 82; Socialists, 50; Communists, 13.

Practically all the parties, excepting the Communists, Socialists Radicals, Republican Socialists and a few Republicans of the Left, were in the government majority and were classed as part of the "National Block." The full strength of the Chamber was 626, but a number of seats were vacant and some deputies not described on any list. The next Chamber will contain only 584 members. The Radical-Socialist-Republican Socialist coalition must win 115 seats from the government majority in order to gain control.

COWBOY STAR WANTS RANCH FOR HIMSELF

It has taken Jack Hoxie, Universal star, ten years to attain a position where he can fulfill for himself the dream of his youth.

"Fate!" said Jack. "Shucks. I've worked hard for it and I believe I've earned it. The thing's not yet materialized but I think I can see it on the horizon."

Hoxie is buying a large cattle ranch. There are a few of them left in this country. The old time ranches that Hoxie knew as a boy are passing. He is now living on a small ranch near Burbank, a few miles east of Universal City. He says that it's only a "miniature" to the one he expects to own and stock soon.

The cowboy star was born on a cattle ranch in Oklahoma and his boyhood was spent riding the open range. He used to follow the trail herd and dream of the time when he would own the biggest "cow outfit" in the land. He saw himself as a "cattle king" as of the big bosses of the industry. Came raw

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

The News is authorized to announce the following candidates, subject to the Democratic Primary, August 5, 1924.

For Representative
FRED F. BRYDIA

For Sheriff:
A. C. (AL) NABORS
W. B. WALKER

For County Commissioner Dist. 1
W. H. BRUMLEY
H. CLAY STEPHENS
M. F. HEATLEY

For Commissioner District No. 2.
C. J. (Charles) LASEMAN.

For Commissioner, District No. 3:
BOB BROOKS.
W. H. BRENTS.

For County Superintendent of Public Instruction:
MRS. PARRIE BRITT
A. FLOYD

For County Treasurer:
ALBERT CHAMBERLAIN.
J. W. WESTBROOK (2nd term)

For Court Clerk:
L. E. FRANKLIN.

For County Tax Assessor—
NICK HEARD

FLY-TOX

Kills Flies
Moths, Etc.

Easy to use. Spray clothing, tapestries and rugs, to kill moths. Will not stain. Pleasant odor. Harmless to humans or animals. Leaves no dust or dirt.



days and the homesteaders, crowded out the cattlemen. Hoxie, like other cowboys, sought a new vocation.

After years of "trouping" with a Wild West show, and following "rodeo" circuits, Hoxie got into pictures. He is now one of the most popular Western stars in the profession. His great ambition has never waned and now he is in a fair way to seeing its fruition. Hoxie's newest feature is "The Phantom Horseman," a fast action Western drama now showing at the American Theatre.

CAMPFIRE FOR SORE EYES

It is surprising how quickly eye inflammation is helped by camphor, hydrastis, witchhazel, etc., as mixed in Lavoptik eye wash. One small bottle helps any case sore, weak or strained eyes. Aluminum eye cup free. Gwin & Mays.

Kettles and pans made of cardboard have been patented by a German inventor.

Who has the Red Arrow?

Find Its Mysterious Possessor and Win \$5.00 in Gold!

It is in the hands of a secret carrier who is walking your streets. All you have to do is to step up to this person and say these words:

"HAVE YOU THE RED ARROW WHICH I CAN TRADE FOR THE RED ARROW PRIZE?"

GET ON THE TRAIL

For description of Red Arrow Carrier, call at any Red Arrow Place, where you will also receive One Dollar in Red Arrow Money, which has a real value to you—

REMEMBER! To Win the \$5.00 You Must:

1. Say exactly the words given above when you find the Red Arrow Carrier.

2. Have in your possession and display if requested by Red Arrow Carrier, at least One Dollar in Red Arrow Money which costs you nothing and can be secured at any Red Arrow Place.

Watch for bulletins telling progress of hunt! As soon as the mysterious person has been discovered, bulletins will be posted at all Red Arrow Places.

WIN THE \$5.00 GOLD PIECE

Hunt Takes Place Saturday May 10th

A. P. Brown Co.

Coffman, Bobbit & Sparks Co.
Stanfield's Grocery and Market

See something new this summer

Santa Fe
XCURSIONS
—very low round-trip fares to
California - Arizona
Colorado - New Mexico
and your National Parks

Santa Fe Superior Service and
Scenery—plus Fred Harvey
meals—your assurance
of a delightful trip—

J. H. Shackelford, Agent
Phone 23

for picture folders
and details

**Sunday, May 11th
MOTHERS' DAY**

Carnation, any color
\$2.50 per dozen
Roses, greenhouse grown,
\$3.50 to \$5.00 per dozen
Sweet Peas, assorted color,
50c per bunch
Easter Lilies, pot plants,
\$1.50 and up
Calla Lilies,
\$5.00 per dozen

If you do not want cut flowers,
send Mother a few pot plants
for her porch box or yard.

Ada Greenhouse

**How to care for
Dull Hair**
Just washing cleans it,
but what a difference in its
appearance a little bluing
makes! Like linen, hair
requires something more than soap and water to
make it really beautiful. If you honestly want
luster, brightness, real beauty, in your hair, you
must put it there. Golden Glint Shampoo begins
where plain shampooing stops. It gives the hair a
natural radiance truly beautiful, a long-lived
brightness that lasts between shampooings, a delicate
color-emphasis quickly suited to your own particu-
lar shade. You'll never know how really well
your hair can look until you've had a Golden
Glint Shampoo. Try one. 25¢ at all druggists.

**Golden Glint
SHAMPOO**

Get
GOLDEN GLINT
at
GWIN & MAYS

**Makes the Body
Strong
Makes the Blood Rich**
**Grove's
Tasteless
Chill Tonic**
60c.

DONT TRY TO RAISE your family
without it. For stomach aches and
pains; sudden cramps, severe intestinal
colic and indiscretions of eating and
drinking, changes in water, diet or
climate, take
**CHAMBERLAIN'S
COLIC AND DIARRHOEA
REMEDY**
Never fail to have it on hand.

McAnally's
Grocery and Market
208 East Main Street

| Grocery Prices | |
|------------------------|--------|
| SUGAR, 11 pounds | \$1 |
| Good Corn | 10c |
| per can | 10c |
| Good Tomatoes, | 10c |
| per can | 10c |
| 24 bars good | \$1 |
| laundry soap for | 25c |
| Good Sour Pickles | 25c |
| per gallon | 25c |
| 48 lb. sack good | \$1.40 |
| flour for | 45c |
| Crispy Crackers, | 45c |
| 3-lb. box for | 25c |
| Post Toasties, 2 large | 25c |
| boxes for | 25c |
| 2 Post Bran | 25c |
| for | 25c |
| Good Hominy, | 10c |
| per can | 10c |
| Old Dutch Cleanser, | 10c |
| per can | 10c |
| or 3 cans for 25c | |
| 2 Loaves of bread, | 15c |
| any kind for | \$1 |
| Pinto Beans 15 | |
| pounds for | |

| FRESH MEAT PRICES | |
|---------------------------|---------|
| T-bone or Loin | 17 1/2c |
| steak, per pound | 18c |
| Round Steak | 18c |
| per pound | 8c |
| Stew meat | 10c |
| per pound | 10c |
| Good fat beef roast | 10c |
| per pound | 20c |
| Pork Chops | 20c |
| per pound | 18c |
| Pork ham, by the | 18c |
| whole ham, per lb. | 25c |
| Best Sausage in town, per | |
| pound 15c, or 2 | 25c |
| pounds for | |

| CURED MEATS | |
|------------------------------|--------|
| Good breakfast bacon | 20c |
| per pound | 18c |
| Smoked Meat | 15c |
| per pound | 15c |
| Dry Salt Meat | 15c |
| per pound | 15c |
| Bulk Lard | 15c |
| per pound | \$1.20 |
| Large bucket | |
| of Lard | 24c |
| Best grade of cured, skinned | |
| ham, per | |
| pound | |

Look these prices over and
see if you can't save some
money by trading with us. A
dollar saved is a dollar made.
Come and see us.

Yes—We Deliver
PHONE 302

City Briefs

Miss Lutie Wells of Oklahoma
City is visiting here for a few days.

Get it at Gwin & Mays.

Miss Grace Bean returned to her
home in Francis today.

100 people wanted to buy gas
and oil. 210 North Broadway.
4-17-1mo.

The Sorosis club will meet May
9th at the convention hall.

Don't forget Mothers Day, send
a card. Webb Book Shop. 5-7-3t

Nevins Kirkpatrick of Antlers was
a business visitor in Ada yesterday.

See W. T. Melton for City Loans.
4-8-1m

Born to Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Pend-
leton, an eight-pound baby girl early
this morning.

Turkish Towels. Size 16"x27"
10 cents this week-end. Mount's
Cash Store 5-8-1t

Hugh Biles, who underwent an
appendicitis operation recently, is
reported improving rapidly.

\$1,500.00 prize Phoenix Hose con-
test closes this week. See the Mo-
del window. 5-8-1t

Joe Cole, who was injured in an
auto collision some time ago, is re-
ported improving.

For expert lawn mower repairing
call 273.—A. J. Clelland at Haynes
Hdw. 5-1-1mo

Fred Brydia returned from a busi-
ness trip to Oklahoma City last
night.

FREE one pair of Sultana \$2.00
silk hose with each pair of Ladies'
\$8.50, \$9.50 or \$10 shoes. Friday
and Saturday only. Smith-Cole Co.
5-8-1t

Vanda Black of Centrahoma is
here attending business matters this
week.

We have a complete line of Moth-
ers day cards. Webb Book Shop
5-7-3t

John Agnew will return today
from Pauls Valley where he has
been visiting relatives.

High grade Bleached and Unbleached
Sheeting. 40" wide. 15 cents
yard. Mount's Cash Store 5-8-1t

Miss Evelyn Brown left today for
Okemah to spend the week with
Miss Alice Hunt.

FREE one pair of Sultana \$2.00
silk hose with each pair of Ladies'
\$8.50, \$9.50 or \$10 shoes. Friday
and Saturday only. Smith-Cole Co.
5-8-1t

Mrs. W. E. Frye of Tulsa is visit-
ing with Mrs. Earl Norman, who is
ill.

SEYBOLD'S 75c CLEANERS
PHONE 665. 4-18-2m*

Major Locke of Antlers, former
commissioner of the Five Civilized
Tribes, was a business visitor in
Ada yesterday.

\$1000.00 cash for the first prize
Phoenix Hosiery offer closes Sunday.
Get your suggestion in at once. See
the Model window. 5-8-1t

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Stanfield and
Mrs. Tom Grant, who recently moved
to Oklahoma City, are here for a
visit.

FREE one pair of Sultana \$2.00
silk hose with each pair of Ladies'
\$8.50, \$9.50 or \$10 shoes. Friday
and Saturday only. Smith-Cole Co.
5-8-1t

Miss Marie McCleary who under-
went an appendicitis operation at
the Breco hospital a few days ago
is rapidly recovering and will soon
be able to return home.

Beautiful roses for Mothers Day.
\$2.50 per dozen, or single roses
20 cents each. Mrs. R. J. Fahrny
501 N. Beard Ave. 5-8-2t

Roy L. Givens, manager of the lo-
cal ice and ice cream companies,
has returned from Dallas, where he
attended a meeting of the managers
of the allied plants.

See W. E. Harvey for used
Fords, all models phone 696.
4-3-1mo

Mrs. R. C. Guest and children,
who have been here for some time
visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs.
J. L. Barringer, have returned to
their home at Rush Springs.

FREE one pair of Sultana \$2.00
silk hose with each pair of Ladies'
\$8.50, \$9.50 or \$10 shoes. Friday
and Saturday only. Smith-Cole Co.
5-8-1t

Miss Anna Lipstrue a teacher at
Glenwood school returned Wednes-
day from a six weeks visit with her
mother at Sherman. She resumed
her school duties today.

Don't fail to take advantage of
the week-end Specials at Mount's
Cash Store. 5-8-1t.

Judge J. W. Bolen returned Wed-
nesday night from a sojourn of sev-
eral weeks in Colorado. He reports
that Mrs. Bolen's health is improv-
ing rapidly and that she will remain
there for some time longer.

We have some beautiful mottos
for Mothers Day. Webb Book Shop.
5-7-3t

J. W. Simpkins, at one time cir-
culation manager of the Evening
News and later farm demonstration

agent in Carter county, died at Ard-
more Monday, according to the Ar-
moreite. He leaves his wife and four
children.

FREE one pair of Sultana \$2.00
silk hose with each pair of Ladies'
\$8.50, \$9.50 or \$10 shoes. Friday
and Saturday only. Smith-Cole Co.
5-8-1t

J. Taylor Mitchell, ministerial
student of the Presbyterian semi-
nary at Louisville, Ky., will arrive
tonight for a visit with his parents
Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Mitchell south
of Ada.

See Nettles & Nettles for Mohawk
tires and service. 4-17-1m

Byron Norrell of the News was
called to Dallas today on account
of the serious illness of his father,
Rev. A. B. Norrell. The elder Nor-
rell is not expected to live many
days.

Old Reliable Mohawk tires and
tubes, gas, oil, quick service. Net-
tles and Nettles. 4-17-1mo

C. A. Cummins returned Wednes-
day night from Oklahoma City
where he attended the state conven-
tion of undertakers. He reports an
interesting meeting and good at-
tendance from all parts of the state.

Don't miss the opportunity to see
Miss Nina Wenthemen, demonstra-
tion of the Designer Patterns and the
Belrobe. 8th-9th-10th. Mount's
Cash Store. 5-8-1t

We call for chickens. Phone 17.
4-14-1mo

Miss Annie Louise Shaw who sur-
faced injuries in an airplane acci-
dent several days ago, is recovering
as rapidly as could be expected. All
indications are that she will be
quite all right in a few weeks.

Th ladies of the Christian church
will have their cooked food sale
Saturday afternoon at Coffman, Bob-
bitt & Sparks Co. Orders taken
for Osgood pies and Boston Brown
bread. Phone 761 5-8-2t

Oil and gasoline, Oliver Tire Shop
400 East Main. Phone 2. 4-10-1mo

Postmaster Foreman of Hickory,
was in the city this afternoon on
business. He has been postmaster
in the little town for many years.
Previous to taking up this work,
he was one of the most successful
teachers in this section of the state.

See W. E. Harvey for used
Fords, all models phone 696.
4-3-1mo

Peanuts is a money crop as well
as feed. Diversify, plant some PEA-
NUTS. We have the seed nuts. Ada
Oil Mill 5-8-3t

Miss Sallie Claiborne returned
Wednesday from Stonewall where
she went Tuesday evening as the
guest of Mrs. George McKoy to at-
tend the May festival and special
school program of the Stonewall
school.

Motor Sales Co. parts and ac-
cessories for all cars. 3-12-1t

If you have any ignition, starter
or generator troubles take them to
Mr. Cunningham of the Ada Service
and Filling Station. 4-11-1mo

A Red Arrow hunt is to be made
under the auspices of A. P. Brown
Co., Coffman Bobbitt & Sparks Co.
and Stanfield's Grocery Co. A prize
is to be given the person finding
the possessor of the arrow. The ad-
vertisement in another part of the
paper gives the details.

Suits cleaned and pressed \$1.00
H. Claude Pitt, phone 171. 1-8-1t

Cars washed and greased \$1.50.
Phone 54. Red Ball Filling Station
3-26-1t

C. K. Brick of Dallas, organ build-
er for the Will A. Watkins Music
Co. is here installing the pipe or-
gan at the First Presbyterian
church. The present plans are to
have the organ finished and every-
thing ready for the opening of the
main auditorium by May 25th.

McCary Bros. can fix that old
tire or tube. Phone 855. 116-18 S
Townsend. 7-7-1t

Who sells Federal Tires? The
Square Deal! 11-12-1t

Mrs. G. E. Nance, Sr., of Canyon,
Texas, and Mrs. Arthur Fisher of
Electra, Texas, are in the city visit-
ing the families of Harry Hager and
Sam Beeker, South Townsend. Mrs.
Nance is the mother and Mrs. Fisher
is a sister of Mrs. Beeker and Mrs.
Hager. Mrs. Nance lived here for
some time and has many friends
in the city. Mr. Nance was one of
the developers of the Bebee oil
fields.

Russell Battery Co., Willard Ser-
vice and Sales. Phone. 140. 8-6-1m

We drain and wash your crank
case free. Thee Square Deal Ser-
vice and Filling Station. 10-3-1t

YEAGER
We are sure enjoying this fine
weather.

The singing school only lasted
five days. The box supper brought
\$26.

Mrs. Jervis is quite sick again
this week.

Mrs. Cleave Stonecipher was taken
to Ada Friday and was operated on
for an abscess on the lung. We don't
know how she is getting along.

There are several saces of mumps
around now.

Faith Turner and Lester Wood
went to Parish Chapel to the box
supper Saturday night.

Maden Dickerson and family vis-
ited at Will Jervis' Sunday.

Edd McGuyre and family, and
Elmer Turner visited in Hughes
county Saturday and Sunday.

Bill Gentry, Will Jervis and W.
C. Light attended the I. O. O. F.
lodge Thursday night. Mr. Kirk
and family visited their daughter, Mrs.
Wilbur Cosby Saturday night and
Sunday.

Society

MRS. BYRON NORRELL, Editor
Phone 918 between 10 a. m. and 12 o'clock
Phone 307 between 1 p. m. and 5 o'clock

**EVENTS FOR NATIONAL
MUSIC WEEK**

MONDAY—
Woman's Missionary and Bible
Classes,
Community Sing, Shaw's, 1 p. m.

TUESDAY—
Community Sing, Wilson's, 1 p. m.
Juvenile Piano Muscale at Col-
lege, 7:30 p. m.

WEDNESDAY—
Community Sing, Gwin & May's
1 p. m.
Massed Band Concert at Con-
vention Hall, 8 p. m.

THURSDAY—
Prayer Services at Churches.

May Day Festival at College, 5
p. m.
Choir Rehearsal at Presbyterian
Church, 7:15 p. m.

FRIDAY—
Community Sing, Harris Hotel, 1
p. m.
Senior Muscale at College 8 p. m.

SATURDAY—
College Band Concert, Cement
Plant, 12:30 p. m.
High School Band Concert, Glass
Factory, 12:30 p. m.

SUNDAY—
'Mother's Day—Home and Music'
Sermons.

**NATIONAL MUSIC
WEEK BAND CONCERT**

The National Music Week Move-
ment has been of untold benefit to
Ada as shown in the band concert at
Convention Hall last night. Few peo-
ple in Ada realized that there were
90 of our own boys and girls with
an average age of 16 years, capable
of playing instruments that make up
a well balanced band as was dem-
onstrated in the rendition of the
numbers on the evening's program.

These young musicians have been
developed by our own home teach-
ers in the College, high school, ward
schools and military band of the
160th regiment. Many solo players
have been developed one among
them Master Jack Moore, cornetist
who won first place in the state
contest at Norman last week. The
stage deportment, ease and assur-
ance that this young musician has
is very gratifying to his many ad-
mirers. Such qualities lead to suc-
cess should he desire to take up
concert work.

The first part of the program
was conducted by Harvey Faust who
showed marked ability as a leader
as was evidenced in the rendition of
"Princess of India" overture by
King.

Prof. W. A. Hill, principal of the
high school directed the second
division of the program and
proved that young minds can enter-
pret the master composers as well
as the professional band players, as
was shown in the rendition of "Poet
and Peasant" overture by Suppe,
followed by the light, airy "Dance
of the Nile Maidens" by Losey.

The program was a credit to our
town and an honor to each and
every one who took part in an even-
ing's ensemble work that gave pleas-
ure to every listener.

**MUSIC WEEK
OBSERVANCE**

Senior Piano Musical.
Given by the pupils of Mrs. W. A.
Hill, Miss Murray Lucas, Mrs. E. S.
Winget, Mrs. M. W. Emanuel.
Assisted by Miss Bonnie Callis,
soprano.

College auditorium at 8:15 Fri-
day May 9.

(1) Cujar, Aninlan — Rossini
Jesse Lee Woods

(2) Tremolo — Gottschalk
Donnie Hughes

(3) Triumphant March from Aida — Verdi
Irene Holmes—Ida Jacobson

(4) Czardas — MacDowell
Nell Chapman

(5) Left Hand Solo From Lucia — Donnezetti
Frances Walters

(6) Tarantelle op 85 — Heller
Donna Mae Boud

Soprano Solo — White
(a) Dream Fancies — MakBrice

(b) Vida — Bonnie Callis

(7) Nocturne in G. — Chopin
Maurine German

(8) Rhapsodie No. 8 — Liszt.
Suzanne Holman

(9) Consolation — Mendelssohn
Audrey Whitwell

(10) Czardas — MacDowell
Ida Jacobson

(11) Prelude in G Minor — Rachmaninoff

OWL CREEK

Our school will be out in three
weeks, but as all the students are
very busy trying to make passing
grades, we will not have any clos-
ing exercises.

Mildred Odom and Lillian Davis
visited the Vineyard girls last Sun-
day.

Mr. and Mrs. Griffith went fish-
ing Sunday but did not have much suc-
cess.

Elbert Hill drove a new Ford down
from Oklahoma City last Saturday.
However, he made his visit home a
short one, as he went back Monday.

Glady's Odom visited Loretta Odom
Sunday.

Harrison Gill and Mrs. J. W.
Williams went to New Bethel to an
all-day singing last Sunday. Mrs.
Harrison Gill and Mrs. J. W.
Williams had been up there for
several days returned with them.

Verda France spent Saturday and
Sunday with Mary Gill.
A. J. Hill and family visited Mrs.
Hill's sisters, Mrs. Montgomery of
Lula, last Sunday.
A large crowd attended singing
at C. F. Hill's Sunday night.
Alta and Loretta Odom have been
out of school on account of measles.
Leonard Gill spent Saturday night
and Sunday with Benry France.
Babe Davis visited J. W. France
Sunday.
(A FLAPPER)

FRANCIS
The people of this precinct in
mass meeting last Saturday organ-
ized by electing W. H. Hammond
chairman and Mrs. Gene Miller, sec-
retary. They elected Lester L. Lil-
lard and J. E. Roberts as the town-
ships directors of Pontotoc county
ty free fair. We have been informed
that by doing this the people of
Francis Township will receive from
the state \$125.00 to pay premiums
on exhibits in our township fair.

The bridge crew on the Frisco has
one large water tank finished and
in place and they will very soon
have another of the same size erect-
ed.

The oil people on section 19 have
not yet succeeded in removing the
wild undred reamer from their well.
The citizens here are hoping that
they will succeed to go on down to
the oil.

Extra fine weather for working
and the farmers are very busy try-
ing to get their cotton planted and
work the weeds and grass out of
their corn.

Almost a train load of electric
cars passed this week consigned to
some point in California.

It is reported that the Frisco
Railway will in the near future
erect a modern coal elevator that
will hold 200 tons of coal and that
the steam hoister that they are us-
ing now will be taken to another
point on the road.

We are delighted with the news
and its management for it is the
only evening paper we get here and
we can read the news items for
the day we could not get until the
day following.

VANOSS

The cotton farmer is still on the
job regardless of Mr. Bollweevil's
efforts to vanquish him.

Mrs. Elmer Patterson of Okla-
homa City is visiting her parents,
Mr. and Mrs. Kitchens.

Miss Ethel Jones of Stratford vis-
ited our school Friday.

Miss Ida Bolen was the guest of
Mrs. Jones Saturday afternoon.

Misses Mabel and Connie Clark
made a trip to Sulphur Sunday.

Miss Addie Solomo nwas the din-
ner guest of Miss Erma Hodges
Sunday.

Aunt Woodie Templeman is re-
ported in the sick list at this writ-
ing.

Miss Ruby Forrest spent the week
end with her mother Mrs. Sted-
vant of Ada.

For various reasons a number
of the students were unable to at-
tend the High school party Friday
night. Several of the boys came, but
only three of the girls were pres-
ent. However those who were pres-
ent had plenty of amusement and
ample refreshments.

Joe Zumbro and family visited in
Ada Sunday afternoon.

Miss Marie Whisenhunt spent Sat-<

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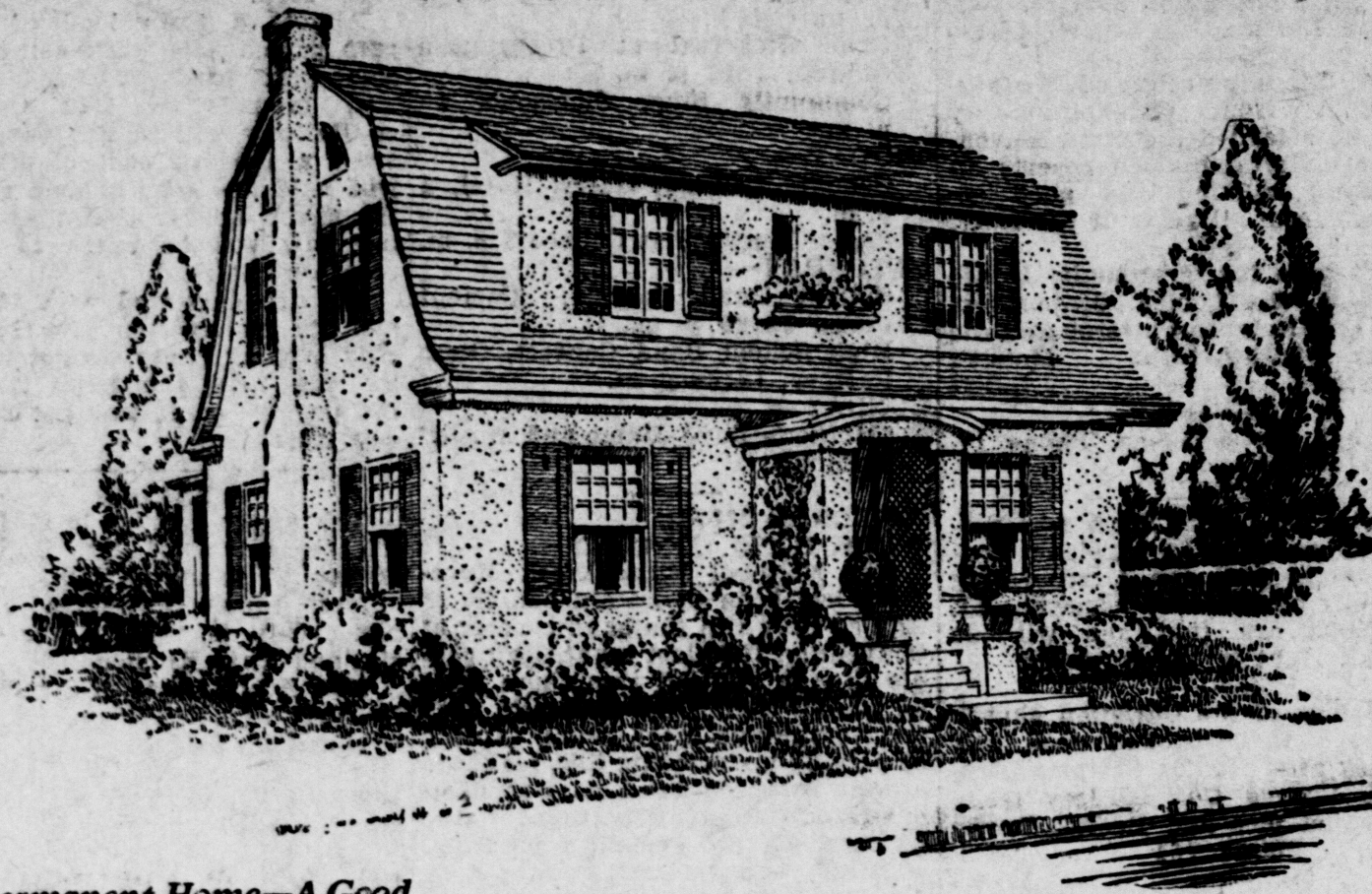
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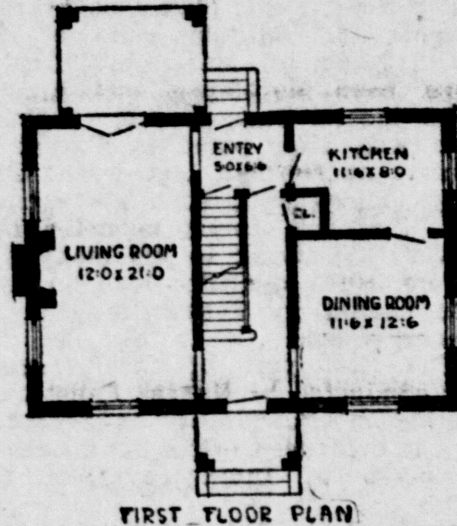
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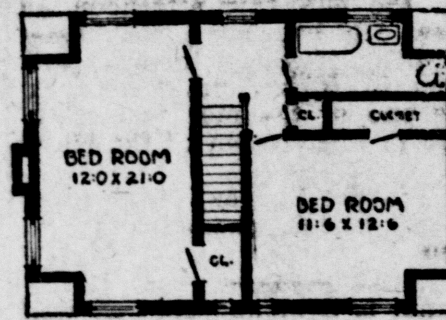
To the family desiring a few large rooms rather than many small rooms this home will particularly appeal.

The lower floor has but three rooms and a hallway extending from front entrance to rear entrance. The stairway to the upper floor is located in this hallway.

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FIRST FLOOR PLAN



SECOND FLOOR PLAN

beauty of the interior and on cool evenings is just the thing to remove the chill from the atmosphere. Logs may be burned or a gas arrangement installed.

To the right from the front entrance is the dining room which has two large windows, one on the front and one on the side. A door leads to the kitchen which also has two windows. A closet located in the hallway completes the first floor arrangement.

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FOR TRADE

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LOST

LOST—Small dinner ring, Sardonys set, between 14th and Shaw's. Leave at Ada News. 5-8-21*

Notice of Hearing of Bankrupt's Petition for Discharge.

In the District Court of the United States for the Eastern District of Oklahoma.

In the Matter of S. M. (or Sam) M. Ford, Bankrupt. In Bankruptcy. No. 3702.

To the Creditors of the above named Bankrupt:

TAKE NOTICE that a petition has been filed in said court by S. M. (or Sam) M. Ford of Ada, in the County of Pontotoc, in said district, who has been duly adjudged bankrupt under the Act of Congress of July 1, 1898, for a discharge from all debts, and other claims provable under said Act, and notice is hereby given that a creditor desiring to oppose the application of the bankrupt for discharge shall enter his appearance in opposition thereto with the Clerk on June 19, 1924, on which date said creditors are required to show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of said petition should not be granted, and shall file a specification in writing of their opposition within ten days thereafter, unless the time shall be enlarged by special order of the judge. (Neither the bankrupt nor his attorney is required to appear on the above date.)

Dated at McAlester, said District, this 6th day of May, 1924.

GEO. F. CLARK, Special Master in Chancery. 5-8-11

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In the District Court of the United States for the Eastern District of Oklahoma.

In the Matter of Hunt & Son, M. L. Hunt, Sr., and M. L. Hunt, Jr., Bankrupts.

In Bankruptcy. No. 3776.

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BRITISH ATHLETES OUT FOR OLYMPIC TRYOUTS

(By the Associated Press)

LONDON—Six training grounds for athletes ambitious to participate in the Olympic Games have been established in England. North of the Tweed, the Scots have put all their football fields at the disposal of Olympic aspirants. The British Olympic Association, with \$150,000 in its purse, has provided trainers and coaches for promising youths anxious to make the trip to Paris.

Within a few weeks a long series of elimination matches will begin to weed out the mediocre and find out the real talent in the hundreds of ambitious lads who want to show their stuff at Colombes Stadium in July. First there will be county matches, then district meets, and finally, on June 20-21, the national championships at Stamford Bridge, near London. After this meeting the British team for sports under the control of the Amateur Athletic Association will be selected.

Meanwhile governing bodies in other fields of sport, swimming, boxing, fencing, rowing and so on, are eagerly watching the efforts of would-be heroes and heroines of the Olympic. Nothing startling in the nature of speed or strength has yet been reported among the British aspirants, but the weather has been so wet and wintry that no one has expected any record-breaking. The British are particularly hopeful of success in the long distance runs, some of the shorter track events, and in swimming, though, in the water sports, there is some doubt of equalling the experts from America.

Plans are being made for a \$7,000,000 hotel to be erected in Chicago, one feature of which will be a radio in every guest room.

Canada now has a department of National Defence.

Canada spent over \$2,000,000,000 in the World war.

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Lodge and Club Notices

K. K. K. MEETING

The Ada Klan will meet Friday evening at 8 o'clock. Election of officers and regular business. Also initiation of candidates. All Klansmen welcome.



LUNCHEON NOTICE

Friday luncheon program will include Miss Ballard, of the College, as song leader, Miss Lillian Strite as violin soloist and Miss Lady Percy Shaw as reader. Kiwanians this bill is a topline. Don't miss it. No advance in admission but only come early.

COLBERT.

School closed Friday. The large crowd we have had this year attended the program Friday night. We feel that this has been a very successful school year and it has been brought about by the good cooperation of the community to assist in every undertaking.

We wish to thank all who helped with the program, especially, Dacomb-Daniels Lumber company who loaned us lumber for the stage.

There are 21 who will take high school work next year besides the ones who transfer.

Ida Walker, Charles Walker, Chester Madden and Elmo Covertan attended school the whole year without being absent or tardy.

There were 46 who were neither absent or tardy the last month of school.

Mrs. Tom Adecock and children

of Corsicana, Texas have been visiting Grandpa Adecock, Mrs. Green Floyd and other relatives here.

Mrs. Alsome and children of Stratford are visiting Mrs. Boone Hammond.

Misses Jewell Floyd and Mildred Laughlin spent Friday night with Ellen and Viola Earnest.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mayfield and family of Union Valley attended the program Friday night.

R. S. Sanders and family have moved to Ada. We are sorry to have them leave our community.

Mr. and Mrs. Earnest and family visited relatives at Steedman Sunday.

Grandma Luther, Miss Roxie Luther and Mr. and Mrs. Ezelle, of Ada visited Roy Luther and family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Smith spent Sunday at Byng.

W. W. Jones and family visited friends in Stratford Sunday afternoon.

Brother Teague of Ada preached Sunday morning and night to large congregations.

Several from here attended the Decoration Day services at New Bethel Sunday.

The ball game at Byng Sunday afternoon resulted in a victory for the Colbert team.

Miss Eunice McAnally spent Monday night with relatives in Ada.

There will be a pie supper here Friday night for the benefit of the base ball team. Every body come.

OWL CREEK

Farming is the order of the day. Most of the people have their corn planted and are preparing to plant cotton.

We are all appreciating the warm sunny weather.

Mrs. Levy Gill called on her mother, Mrs. J. H. Davis Sunday evening.

Mrs. H. W. Wesson called on Mrs. B. R. Reed Monday morning.

Alta and Loretta Odum are on the sick list this week with the measles but are reported better.

B. R. Reed made a business trip to Coalgate Sunday returning Monday afternoon.

G. O. Griffith and family were

shopping in Ada Saturday. Elbert Hill of Oklahoma City spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Hill.

Mrs. B. R. Reed and children spent Sunday with her brother J. A. Rose-Delb's community.

Singing at C. F. Hill's Sunday night was enjoyed by a large crowd of young folks.

Mr. and Mrs. Palmer spent Sunday with the latter's mother, Mrs. Wheeler, of Stowall.

Lillian Davis and Mildred Odum spent Sunday with Ida, Ruth and Mary Viavard.

Ruby Hill, Gladys Odum and Eula Haggott spent Sunday with Loretta Odum.

Mrs. A. J. Hill and children spent Sunday with her sister Mrs. Montgomery of Lula.

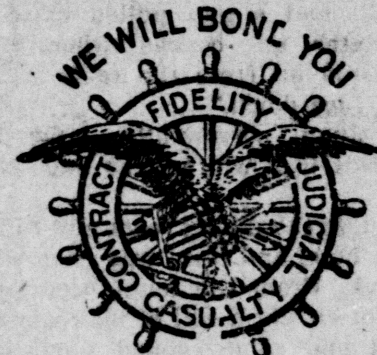
Esther Parker is spending the week-end with relatives in Ada.

Winnie Wesson and Eula Goforth called on Eva Hatton Sunday evening.

Mrs. W. M. Parker was the guest of Mrs. Wesson Sunday afternoon.

Ina Reed called on Helen Wesson Sunday.

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WEST

No. 14—Lv. Daily 5:15 a. m.

No. 16—Lv. Daily 4:30 p. m.

SANTA FE

EAST

No. 446—Ar. Daily 11:40 a. m. (Stops Here)

WEST

No. 445—Lv. Daily 12:20 p. m.

FRISCO

NORTH

No. 510—Lv. Daily 12:30 p. m.

No. 512—Lv. Daily 5:15 p. m.

No. 118—Lv. Daily 3:33 a. m.

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I. O. O. F.—Ada Lodge No. 146, regular meetings every Thursday night.—N. W. Fisher, N. G.; H. C. Evans, Secretary.

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS—Magnolia Lodge No. 145, meets every Tuesday night. Visiting knights cordially invited.—C. A. Cummings, Chancellor Commander; Robt. T. Williamson, K. of R. S.

Ada Chapter No. 73, O. E. S. meets second and fourth Thursday nights in each month. The second Thursday will be business and the fourth initiation and social.—Margaret Peay, W. M.; Cora H. McKeel, Secretary.

K. T. M.—Ada Commandry No. 26 Knights Templar Masons meets third Wednesday night of each month.—LAYTON CHILCUTT, E. C.; F. C. SIMS, Secretary.

A. F. & A. M.—Regular meetings of Ada Lodge No. 119, Monday night on or before the full moon in each month.—E. C. PEAY, W. M.; F. C. SIMS, Secretary.

R. A. M.—Ada Chapter No. 26. Royal Arch Masons, meets the second Tuesday night in each month.—MILES C. GRIGSBY, High Priest, JOHN GARDNER, Secretary.

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SYNOPSIS

CHAPTER I.—In the late summer of 1876, Peter Dinsdale, on his way to the Black Hills to join the throng of gold-seekers, makes the acquaintance of the keeper of a Deadwood gambling house, San Juan Joe, who is returning to Deadwood.

San Juan stepped back and stared whimsically at Dinsdale. Like an old housewife, weighted with responsibilities, the girl fried the bacon and made the coffee, then fried the bread in the bacon fat. She had been used to hard work. After they had eaten and while she was washing the utensils at the spring San Juan murmured:

"What's to be done with her?" Dinsdale frowned and rubbed his jaw, then gave it up.

"Time enough to decide that when we get to Deadwood," he said.

"Kitty will take care of her," mused the gambler.

"Kitty?" repeated Dinsdale.

"Friend of mine. Good friend, too, but it won't do to stick here any longer. We're too near the canyon. The Indians may be sneaking round these parts. We must be going."

They followed the road toward Custer and frequently passed old prospect holes, dug the year before, and not a few deserted cabins. At midday they rounded a low hill and came in sight of the town, the first to be laid out in the Black Hills and now an excellent example of a "busted" boom. In 1875, when white men were taboo in the hills, it had been a magic town, with a main street half a mile long and crowded with business houses and disreputable resorts. Now its merchants and gamblers and its painted women were hunting their profits in Deadwood City. There were some hundred and fifty inhabitants, mostly men, in the town, with row after row of dwellings left to the ravages of squirrels and kindred mischief workers.

San Juan took his companions to a hotel, where the girl was given a room while the men ordered dinner. When she rejoined them they nodded approval. Although her pale face and thin features made her look all eyes, there was no ignoring her neatly brushed hair, fine as spun silk. She glanced shyly at them and said:

BRITISH WAITERS TO HIRE OUT IN EUROPE

(By the Associated Press)

LONDON.—English waiters are beginning to imitate the pre-war custom of their continental colleagues in going abroad for a year or so to acquire the finesse of the profession. There they learn foreign languages, become attentive and, most of all, they acquire the "food sense."

In the old days waiters in high class continental establishments were required to put in a year each in England, France and Italy to learn not only the language, but the eating peculiarities of the different countries.

English waiters now go abroad in droves every year, says the secretary of the London County Council School for Waiters. Every year the London hotel and restaurant proprietors are exacting more from their waiters which is all against the Englishman, for the foreigner knows far more about food and service than those who lack continental experience. In fact, a survey shows that the whole art of the restaurant in the British metropolis is in the hands of Frenchmen and Italians.

The chief cause of the discontent among English waiters, however, is the rank they are given when the pay envelope and tips are in question. Foreign waiters in London earn from \$10 to \$20 a week exclusive of their tips, while the home-trained English waiter has to be content with about two-thirds of that amount.

The more patriotically inclined of the proprietors are advancing money to their employees to allow them to obtain continental experience, which places them at least on a parity with their rivals.

JONES CHAPEL

Everybody is busy planting their corns over. The rain did damage the farmers a lot. What cotton we had planted we have to plant over, so the farmers will all be late this spring with their work.

Miss Rosa Ballard visited Louise Golden Sunday.

W. W. Norton, Henry and Oma Norton, also Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Ray and little daughter, Lilla May visited W. L. Ray of Walnut Grove Sunday.

Mr. Lunsford and wife spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Smith. Miss Nora Faulkenbury spent Friday afternoon with Mrs. Campbell.

Mrs. Bessie Dunham of Beggs spent the week end with her sister Mrs. Flora Ballard.

Linard Archer of Egypt spent a

"I ain't thanked you for what you've done for me."

"Never mention it," said San Juan, bowing gallantly. "Now we'll eat."

He ushered them into the dining room, pulled out a chair for Lottie Carl and seated her with quite the grand manner.

The fare was bountiful, and Lottie Carl found that the tragedy had not killed her appetite. They had finished and the gambler was cutting the end from a cigar when a man rushed into the room and hoarsely cried out:

"Wild Bill's been shot! Done to death from behind by that dirty snake of a Jack McCall! D—n him! If Deadwood City ain't stretched his miserable weasas' before now it oughter be busted flatter than this town even is."

"But Wild Bill Hickock! Some one got the drop on Wild Bill!" incredulously gasped Dinsdale.

"Got the drop, h—!" howled the newsbearer. "McCall took grubstakes from him. Made off to be everlastingly obliged to him. Then stood behind him while Bill was playing a few cards and shot him through the back of the head. S'pose that skunk would 'a' dared make a move if Wild Bill had had half a gun on him? An' at that Bill had a eye pulled clear of the holster an' cocked when they picked him up from the table where he fell, face down."

San Juan sorrowfully lamented. "Wild Bill was white. Too bad. Too bad."

They left the dining room and found that the hotel and town was alive with the news. From the hotel proprietor San Juan bought a roll of blankets for the girl and some cooked food, and hired a horse. When they struck on the corduroy road that led to Deadwood City San Juan was keen to make fast time; but the girl, wearied by her terrible experiences and unused to horseback riding, made haste an impossible. Dinsdale detected his companion's impatience and suggested that he ride on ahead, adding:

"I'll fetch Lottie Carl along."

"No; I'll stick along with you two. There's probably some excitement in town over Wild Bill's death, and I'd like to be there."

The travelers passed through fair valleys, richly grassed, that would have delighted the heart of the husbandman. According to Dinsdale's count they crossed Spring creek thirty-one times in traveling a dozen miles. They made their camp on the head waters of this stream, and built a lean-to, or half-faced camp, for the girl. She insisted on attending to the cooking.

Early in the morning, while the valley was still swathed in white fog, they were up and eating and soon on their way. A short ride brought them to Hill City, which interested Dinsdale hugely. There were two hundred log houses, many of them uncompleted, and not a solitary inhabitant.

Deadwood City again was the answer for this wholesale abandonment. Once the citizens heard of the poor man's diggings in the northern gulch they had stamped as one.

That noon they rode into Rapid City on the creek of the same name. This town and its immediate environs were bustling with mining activities, the first the travelers had witnessed since leaving Red canyon.

It was at Rapid City that the gambler and Dinsdale learned how McCall, slayer of Wild Bill, had been arraigned the night before by a so-called "citizens' or "minors' committee, had been acquitted and furnished with a good horse and allowed to try his luck in escaping from the hills. And there were those who had watched the stage road ever since the word was received, hoping that the murderer would ride within range of their rifles.

"Let him go, eh?" mused San Juan. "That's too bad! Wonder what's behind it?"

"Looks as if he might be able to tell things that some one doesn't want told," commented Dinsdale savagely.

Fourteen miles were covered before San Juan selected the next camping place, a restful spot in Spring valley. The night passed quietly, and another ride into the fog was commenced. A few miles out they overtook a man leading a diminutive burro. The animal was all but concealed by camping gear, tent and blankets. Lashed on top of the load was a Henry rifle, forerunner of the Winchester. Juan waved his hand and saluted:

"How now, 'Pyrites'? Another rich strike?"

The man halted and blinked up at them, revealing a weather-worn face that was traversed by a network of thin wrinkles. From the corner of his mouth San Juan informed Dinsdale: "Old 'Iron Pyrites,' best sample of perpetual prospector you ever saw. He'd quit millions in a sure thing to pan our new gravel. I grubstake him."

"Howdy, Joey!" joyously cried Pyrites, now finding his tongue. "Ain't struck anything but rich prospects this trip, but I'll uncover the real article on the next. Found some mighty rich indications. Who's your friends?"

The gambler made Lottie Carl and Dinsdale known, and briefly told of the massacre in the canyon. Pyrites stared sympathetically at the girl.

"Too bad, youngster," he said. "But this is a mighty fine country to forget things in. You've heard about Bill, Joey?"

San Juan nodded gloomily, then exclaimed in deep disgust:

"And to think of letting that McCall go free!"

This was news to Pyrites, for he fairly yelled:

"Go free? Why, Joey, they just couldn't. They had to hang him! You can't mean that they didn't hang him on the spot?"

few hours in the Norton home Sunday night.

Mrs. Hatcher is spending the week end with her daughter, Mrs. Smith.

What the World Is Doing

AS SEEN BY POPULAR MECHANICS MAGAZINE

Crystal Sets May Hear London Stations

It certainly would be a great surprise to many radio listeners to receive London broadcasting stations on their crystal sets. However, this and other dreams of imaginative radio fans may soon be realized when the new transmitting apparatus invented by Guglielmo Marconi, the radio wizard whose inventions made radio communication practicable, is perfected. This signal piece of construction work in the radio field, which is based on extensive experiments conducted by the inventor and his colleague, Mr. C. S. Franklin, promises to revolutionize completely the present methods of long-distance transmission. The gist of the new invention, according to Mr. Marconi's announcement at a recent meeting in London, over which he presided, is that the radio waves are concentrated in the form of beams that can be projected in any desired direction. In this way all the power can be sent in one direction, thus intensifying the strength of the signals considerably over unheeded distances, and the electrical energy required for such directional transmission is much less than the amount otherwise used. Marconi also stated that in his recent experiments with the new method he communicated with St. Vincent, on one of the Cape Verde islands, located approximately 2,400 miles from England, with much less power than otherwise used to span this distance, and receiving the signals much more clearly, and that he was led to believe that owners of crystal sets in America would soon be able to receive London broadcasting stations. The new method may also be used to guide ships through fog.

When a wooden post or brace is to be set on a smooth concrete floor, it often becomes a problem how to make it stand securely without the danger of slipping. If two or three 1/2-in. holes are chiseled in the concrete and nails driven into the bottom of the post, until about 1/2 in. of the head end is exposed and in such a position that they will project into the holes in the concrete, the post will not slip.

The gambler repeated what had been told him at Rapid City. Once Pyrites was convinced that the murderer's innocence already had been proclaimed by a mob tribunal he swore vehemently. The girl showed alarm, and Dinsdale signaled for a change of the conversation.

Pyrites was not ready to return to Deadwood.

"I want to go a bit slow along here," he explained. "Two or three likely looking spots I want to look at. But I'll be in town as soon as you are, I reckon."

Progress was slow, little better than a walk, because of Lottie Carl; and night found them a good ride from Deadwood City. San Juan Joe, however, accepted the delay philosophically. The nervous haste to get back to the gulch, so obvious in the morning, was entirely lacking, and he entered upon the work of preparing their last camp with the zest of a schoolboy released for the holidays.

CHAPTER III

The Town of High Promise.

They halted their horses at the top of a steep descent early in the afternoon and gazed down into the lower end of Deadwood Gulch. The gulch seemed to end abruptly against a ridge in the middle distance, but San Juan explained that its course was very winding and that it was fully ten miles long. Both sides of the road were lined with log cabins, shanties of rough boards, and tents.

"It ain't very pretty to look at," dubiously commented Lottie Carl, gazing disapprovingly at the scattered dead pines, the survivors of fires and windfalls.

"I agree with Lottie. It isn't much to look at," said Dinsdale.

"Forget the scenery, man. Remember that Deadwood City wasn't laid out till last May, and that all supplies and the machinery for the sawmills had to be freighted in for two hundred and fifty miles with much of the road being in hostile country. Deadwood is a great town. No other like it in the world."

(Continued Tomorrow)

Alfalfa as a Flywheel.
The flywheel is that part of an engine that keeps the power steady. It maintains the momentum when the power of the engine is inefficient for the load; it also keeps the engine from tearing itself to pieces when there is more power than is needed. Four or five acres of alfalfa is a very dependable flywheel for the average farm business. A plan that keeps livestock production stable and anticipates a variation in crops rather than livestock is the safest. Keep enough livestock to consume all crops the farm produces during the unfavorable years; sell as a cash crop what is produced in the flush of favorable seasons. Buying rough feed, especially legume hay, is a pocketbook wrecking practice. And it is not too late now to plan for four or five acres of alfalfa yet this year. The earlier the time is put on, the surer success will be, and using Grimm or Cossack seed will make success doubly sure.—Farm Life.

CECILVILLE, Calif.—Farmers in Siskiyou county, northern California, are making unusual use of cattle hides because of the low prices offered. The hides are cut into small pieces and planted as fertilizer in ground prepared for melons, squashes and other garden plants known "rank feeders." Crops grown from hide-fertilized land are said to be of excellent quality.

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Ties Baby Buggy on Cane to Replace Pushcart

Fitted on the end of a walking stick, a small baby carriage has been invented by a father who got tired of using the ordinary pushcart. When not in use, the carriage folds up flat so that it can be carried readily. It runs on two wheels, the fabric being stretched over a collapsible frame.

Bird Songs Like Human Talk According to Naturalist

Study of the sounds made by birds is urged by a scientist who declares their utterances resemble human talk. He said that these songs or one-syllabled calls, have inflections of pitch and emphasis closely resembling the same phenomena in the speaking voice and that at times the whistles, chirps or twitters, resemble human words. The building up of a dictionary of bird sounds with reference to their pitch, intensity, speed, form, expression and timbre was urged.

Serum to Dissolve Cancer Tested by Doctors

After ten years of study and experiments, two Vienna physicians have announced that they have found a sub-

stance which dissolves cancer cells. In healthy persons they found that the blood serum is able to carry away the growths. The vital fluid of the victims of the disease, however, lacks this power. After many tests, a culture was made that is said to dissolve the malignant cells. It is declared to be an organic acid, the formula of which is carbon, 42; hydrogen, 76; oxygen, 7.

Discouraging Broody Hens

Hens may be completely discouraged from wanting to set by placing them in sacks and hanging these on the clothes-line, as shown in the drawing. This method usually effects a cure in about three days, and even the most stubborn hens will yield in four days. The sacks should be as thin as possible to allow free circulation of air. Common burlap sacks, loosely woven, are excellent for this purpose. A New Hampshire farmer who used this method instructed his children and the hired help to give the sacks a swing every time they passed under the



line to make it still more uncomfortable for the hens.

When a considerable portion of the bark around a wounded tree is knocked off the tree is very apt to die. This can usually be prevented, however, by dressing the wound, that is, by cutting down the ragged edges and giving the exposed portion a liberal application of melted paraffin.

"THE HEART BANDIT" SPARKLING COMEDY

"Real entertainment" was the verdict of the audience at the McSwain Theatre last night when Viola Dana' newest Metro picture, "The Heart Bandit," opened for a two day run. This latest of the Dana series has all the elements that mean enjoyment for the spectators, Romance, thrills, comedy, pathos—all play a big part; and through it Miss Dana goes her dainty way.

The story is a merry tale about a bandit who is regenerated when she breaks into the home of an old lady and her son in running from the police. The dramatic and comic situations arising from this premise bring forth many exciting and laughable moments in which the star is superb.

Milton Sills is Miss Dana's leading man, and he never gave a more delightful performance in any of the big successes in which he has appeared. Wallace MacDonald does a great piece of work in a semi-comedy role, and others in the cast include Gertrude Claire, Bertram Grassby, and DeWitt Jennings.

Oscar Apfel directed the production. Tom J. Hopkins wrote the adaptation of Fred Kennedy Myton's story and John Arnold did the photography.

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SHORT HOLDS FREE TEXT BOOK BILL IS VALID

OKLAHOMA CITY.—The free text book law passed by the 1923 legislature is constitutional. Attorney General George Short held in an opinion which was handed down Tuesday.

The legislature appropriated \$950,000 for the purchase of free text books.

This money was to be raised by a tax on foreign fire insurance companies doing business in the state.

The opinion was asked for by C. C. Childers, state auditor, who claims that the money collected will not amount to more than \$400,000.

An authority on banking tells us that the tax paid by every American family amounts to one dollar for every working day.

Overcrowding among the lower classes in Stockholm, Sweden, is very common, several families occupying one small house.

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